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Sir:

REPLY TO THE AUGUST 5, 2008 OFFICE ACTION

This is a Reply to the August 15, 2008 Office Action for the above-identified patent application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the **Listing of the Claims** which begins on page 2 of this paper.

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